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C O N F I D E N T I A L SAIGON 2757

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MARR, AFIN, VS

SUBJECT: ICCS FINANCIAL PLIGHT

REF: STATE 53249

1. RE PARA 2 REFTTEL, AIR AMERICA MANAGER GREEN HAS NOT YET BEEN GIVEN FINAL INSTRUCTION TO INFORM ICCS THAT AFTER MARCH 31 AIR AMERICA WILL TERMINATE IF INVOICES 45 DAYS IN ARREARS.

2. HOPE EXPRESSED IN PARA 2 OF REFTTEL THAT RECENT GVN CONTRIBUTION WILL REDEEM SITUATION IS NOT JUSTIFIED BY THE FACTS, NOR WILL IT BE EVEN WHEN GVN PAYS FINAL INSTALLMENT OF \$1.4 MILLION FOR CURRENT FISCAL YEAR. IN ADDITION TO \$1,815,711 NOW OWED AIR AMERICA, ICCS AT PRESENT OWES PA & E \$650,000 SO THAT THESE TWO FIRMS ALONE ARE ALREADY OWED \$2,465,711. DESPITE INDONESIAN AND IRANIAN EFFORTS, HUNGARIANS AND POLES CAN BE EXPECTED TO INSIST THAT PART OF LATEST CONTRIBUTION BE ALLOCATED TO REIMBURSEMENT OF SOME OF AMOUNTS OWED TO NATIONAL DELEGATIONS, WHICH SECRETARIAT HAS ESTIMATED AT \$9.1 MILLION (SAIGON 2300).

3. ASSUMING THERE GOOD CHANCE ICCS SUPPLEMENTAL WILL BE APPROVED IN LATE APRIL, IF WE ARE TO ENABLE ICCS TO AVOID NOTICES OF TERMINATION OF SERVICES, APPEARS TO US WE HAVE TWO ALTERNATIVES: 1) MAKE ANOTHER SHORT-TERM LOAN FROM AID; OR
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2) PERSUADE AIR AMERICA TO DELAY EFFECT OF ITS DECISION TO

TERMINATE FOR 45-DAY ARREARS AT LEAST UNTIL APRIL 30, PREFERABLY
UNTIL MAY 15. WE WILL ASK GREEN TO DEFER SERVING NOTICE ON
45-DAY ARREARS STIPULATION UNTIL REPLY RECEIVED THIS MESSAGE.
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